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OVERSEA TRADE

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

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This bulletin shows direct trade between overseas countries and South Australia. INTERSTATE TRADE AND OVERSEA TRADE VIA OTHER STATES IS EXCLUDED. The figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

Because of the wide variety of imports they have in many cases been grouped under headings indicative of main items in the group, e.g. Apparel and Attire; this makes it impracticable to publish a table of quantities as there is often no appropriate single unit of quantity. For similar reasons the first table excludes a number of export items.

VALUE of exports is expressed £A f.o.b. or its equivalent at port of shipment; value of imports is "transaction value" £A f.o.b. or "domestic value" £A f.o.b. at port of shipment, whichever is the higher.

TABLE 1 - QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	Unit	April 1963	April 1964	Ten months ended 30th April	
				1963	1964
<u>Foodstuffs, Alcoholic Liquors, Tobacco</u>					
Butter	'000 lb.	-	-	73	872
Cheese	'000 lb.	566	1,084	10,786	19,109
Flour (incl. Semolina)	ton	4,605	3,565	81,335	72,561
Fruit, Dried - Currants	'000 lb.	140	815	2,732	2,988
Raisins	'000 lb.	830	2,259	14,271	17,066
Other	'000 lb.	608	657	3,134	3,811
Fresh - Apples	case	53,416	180,617	111,646	258,509
Preserved and Pulped	'000 lb.	1,975	2,808	12,168	20,381
Grain - Barley	'000 bush.	379	193	4,628	10,419
Bran and Pollard	'000 bush.	33	65	635	1,162
Oats	'000 bush.	1	18	298	37
Wheat	'000 bush.	1,856	5,190	15,676	37,550
Meat - Beef	'000 lb.	536	1,196	6,476	6,332
Lamb	'000 lb.	-	3	15,054	8,808
Peas (incl. Split Peas)	cental	8,131	17,384	96,013	93,441
Spirituos Liquors	pf gal.	30,458	17,164	84,146	69,061
Wine	'000 gal.	124	121	1,273	1,171
<u>Animal and Vegetable Substances</u> (not Foodstuffs)					
Tallow	cwt	18,848	23,316	172,419	160,967
Wool - Greasy	'000 lb.	11,732	17,013	133,227	146,807
Other	'000 lb.	1,147	881	12,586	12,372
<u>Minerals, Metals, &amp; Metal Manufactures</u>					
Minerals - Gypsum	'000 cwt	421	419	2,510	2,435
Concentrates and Ores -					
Copper	'000 cwt	94	-	549	407
Lead and Silver-lead	'000 cwt	71	53	1,500	1,567
Zinc	'000 cwt	177	513	3,341	3,026
Metals & Metal Manufactures -					
Iron and Steel Scrap	'000 cwt	183	165	692	1,136
Lead (Pig)	'000 cwt	248	285	2,768	2,905

- Nil or less than half final digit.



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TABLE 2 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED (a) : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	April 1963	April 1964	Ten months ended 30th April	
			1963	1964
			£'000	
<u>Foodstuffs, Alcoholic Liquors, Tobacco</u>				
Butter	-	-	9	109
Cheese	54	110	928	1,596
Fish (incl. Crayfish)	2	197	312	437
Flour (incl. Semolina)	144	119	2,495	2,251
Fruit, Dried - Currants	9	51	161	182
Raisins	50	148	898	1,192
Other	97	105	542	598
Fresh - Apples	85	270	171	387
Other	-	8	211	440
Juices and Syrups	2	23	29	104
Preserved and Pulped	115	162	720	1,211
Grain - Barley	225	110	2,353	5,354
Bran and Pollard	6	10	122	196
Oats	1	7	139	16
Wheat	1,322	3,990	11,534	26,733
Honey	12	23	91	110
Meat - Beef	59	148	775	809
Lamb	-	-	1,253	736
Other	57	46	807	543
Peas (incl. Split Peas)	16	35	181	202
Spirituos Liquors	41	26	139	137
Wine	107	103	1,053	1,006
<u>Animal and Vegetable Substances</u> (not Foodstuffs)				
Hides and Skins	242	405	3,259	4,064
Tallow	48	75	435	459
Wool - Greasy	3,230	5,489	31,255	42,885
Other	361	408	4,349	5,147
<u>Minerals, Metals, &amp; Metal Manufactures</u>				
Minerals				
Gypsum	53	56	294	277
Concentrates and Ores -				
Copper	341	-	1,935	1,427
Lead and Silver-lead	174	182	3,599	4,764
Zinc	137	696	2,592	3,333
Metals and Metal Manufactures -				
Iron and Steel Scrap	110	92	407	805
Lead (Pig)	841	1,378	8,857	12,792
Machinery and Vehicles	176	807	2,302	5,858
Other Metals & Metal Manufactures	118	592	1,348	4,298
<u>Miscellaneous</u>				
Paints, Drugs, Chemicals, Plastics	22	7	116	203
Salt	24	5	269	300
All Other	184	560	1,790	2,729
TOTAL EXPORTS	8,465	16,443	87,730	133,690

(a) The values of export items include the values of outside packages (containers and crates). For imports the value of outside packages is recorded as a separate item.

- Nil or less than £500.



TABLE 3 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES IMPORTED (a) : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	April 1963	April 1964	Ten months ended 30th April	
			1963	1964
			£'000	
<u>Foodstuffs, Alcoholic Liquors, Tobacco</u>				
Cocoa, Coffee, and Chicory	25	10	127	144
Fish	35	51	525	591
Tea	33	29	402	423
Tobacco and Cigarettes	11	27	114	160
Whisky	4	10	58	54
<u>Animal and Vegetable Substances</u> (not Foodstuffs)				
Apparel and Attire	20	19	275	321
Bags and Sacks - Corn and Flour (new)	24	25	1,120	1,579
Other (includes secondhand)	22	40	262	327
Fibres - Vegetable	30	175	923	1,468
Paper, Paper Pulp, and Paper Board	217	177	1,941	1,986
Rubber and Rubber Goods	96	72	785	860
Stationery and Books (incl. Paper Manufactures)	82	108	1,090	1,258
Textiles and Piecegoods	275	285	2,712	2,548
Timber	169	257	2,131	2,693
Yarns	11	12	121	90
<u>Paints, Drugs, Chemicals, Plastics</u>				
Drugs, Chemicals, and Medicines	143	228	1,534	1,605
Fertilizers	101	93	744	915
Paints, Varnishes, and Pigments	25	22	257	151
Plastic Materials, Fibres, and Yarns	67	47	928	1,062
<u>Minerals, Metals, and Metal Manufactures</u>				
Asbestos - Crude and Fibre	4	2	155	125
Electrical Equipment	298	425	3,531	3,247
Iron and Steel	175	275	2,089	2,757
Machines and Machinery -				
Dynamo Electrical	46	104	828	716
Other	962	1,619	8,771	11,641
Non-ferrous Metals	18	29	392	409
Vehicles -				
Aircraft and Parts	9	4	129	93
Motor Vehicles and Parts	1,837	1,891	12,053	16,392
Motor Cycles, Cycles and Parts	15	19	143	159
Other Vehicles and Parts	34	55	356	516
Wire	20	13	249	219
Other Metals and Metal Manufactures	139	244	1,532	1,420
<u>Oils, Fats, Waxes</u>				
Petrol	254	363	1,714	1,037
Kerosene	18	-	471	51
Crude Oil	-	469	990	6,920
Other	203	96	1,335	1,097
<u>Miscellaneous</u>				
Arms, Ammunition, Explosives	9	25	93	118
Earthenware - Ceramic Tiles	12	19	179	223
Householdware	22	27	282	288
Glass and Glassware	97	110	1,111	933
Instruments - Scientific	22	41	221	314
Jewellery and Timepieces	16	30	236	301
Outside Packages (a)	159	183	1,437	1,615
All Other	320	435	3,571	4,214
TOTAL IMPORTS	6,079	8,165	57,917	73,040

(a) See note (a) Page 2.

